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For: FACTOR RECA FROM BACILLUS
LICHENIFORMIS AND RECA-
INACTIVATED SAFETY STEMS USED FOR
BIOTECHNOLOGICAL PRODUCTION

Examiner: Virginia Allen Portner

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.